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Representative Bill Chappell (D., Fla.)

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Thank you for your letter of March 10, 1971 expressing your interest in employment prospects, especially with the Central Intelligence Agency.

I have made an inquiry on your behalf but find that as a result of ceiling reductions, the Agency's recruitment needs are limited to those who have very specialized training, primarily in the scientific fields. However, CIA is not unmindful of your previous service and it has been pointed out to me that you may presently be eligible for a retirement annuity.

In this connection and if you are interested in pursuing the matter further, I suggest that you write to the Bureau of Retirement and Insurance, United States Civil Service Commission, 1900 "E" Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., providing facts about your Federal service so that an appropriate determination of your eligibility for annuity can be made. I have been assured by CIA that they stand ready to expedite any assistance to the Civil Service Commission that may be required in responding to questions concerning your service with the Agency.

I am sorry that the prospects for Agency employment are not favorable but I do hope that this information about retirement possibilities is helpful and if there is anything further that I can do for you in this connection, please let me know.

Sincerely,